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'A Night In Cairo' Theme For Dance

"Everyone must ride in on a camel," stated Wayne Ingols as plans for "A Night in Cairo" were being formulated. But as the plans rolled on the idea was dropped because, after all, not everyone has a camel.

Rio Del Mar, which is under new management, will be the setting for this mystic event. Eddie Tonini's orchestra will provide the music.

Bids for the dinner and dancing are \$7 per couple and will go on sale Monday in the main office. When buying your bids, be sure to specify whether you want baked ham or fish for dinner, and with whom you would like to sit. No changes can be made after the sign-up is completed.

Pat Wagoner and Sue Rycraft are in charge of the table favors which will be in the form of dancing girls. Wayne Ingols, Dewey Chambers, John Davies, and Del Deis are busily working on the decorations; and Marilyn Hendrix is in charge of the bids.

Letters Ordered For Athletes

Block "H's" were ordered this week for the football players, following a meeting of the commission Monday. Steve Gamble met with a representative from the Colby Manufacturing Company and chose blocks with metal shields.

Gamble said that the metal shields will represent the sport in which the athlete earned his letter.

It was expressed by several members that the commission should have a set rule for athletes earning sweaters. As it is now, the coach in charge of the sport decides if the player deserves a sweater.

One of the most popular methods is that a player would qualify for a sweater by playing in 50 per cent of the quarters for the season, it was said. Nothing was decided as to this ruling.

President George White announced that the World Students' Service Fund wishes to send a girl to this school to talk of her experiences in European schools. It was not decided whether or not to have her speak here.

Annual Recital To Be Held Today

Today at 12:15 in the Little Theater, the second annual student recital will be held. Della Schmaus, soprano, will begin the afternoon with "The Lass With the Delicate Air," by Arne; "Caro Mio Ben," by Giordani; and "The Little China Figure" by Leoni.

She will be followed by a piano solo, "Nocturne," by Woodward, featuring Jayne Barrick at the piano. Two popular favorites, "Kiss Me Again," by Herbert, and "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes," by Kern, will be sung by Mary Rodriguez, soprano. Another piano solo by Virginia Garcia will be "Invention," by Bach, and "Avalanche," by Heller.

Two arias, "Comfort Ye" and "Every Valley Shall Be Exalted," will be sung by Robert Jensen, popular Hartnell College tenor.

A recitative, "Then Shall the Eyes of the Blind," will be given by Dorothy Curtis, alto, and Beverly Silva, soprano. Following will be the arias, "He Shall Feed His Flocks" and "Come Unto Him."

Connie Olivete at the piano will play Prelude XXI from the "Well-Tempered Clavichord," by Bach, and the "March Carillon," by Hanson.

Frosh Will Give Dance Saturday

Come to the Frosh dance to be held tomorrow night in the men's gym after the Hartnell-Golden Gate College basketball game.

With the assistance of the P.A. system and the ever-faithful records, Dee Fosselman, general chairman of this dance will endeavor to make the Freshman dance the most successful ever put on by the newcomers to Hartnell. Thane Olson, Carol Stevens, and Jim Cordial, the remaining class officers, will assist Miss Fosselman with the arrangements. Pat Eldridge is in charge of refreshments. The tickets are only 50 cents per couple or 35 cents for stags.

The next activity that the Freshmen will conduct will be the annual Pajamarino which will be held soon after Christmas vacation.

14 Vets Under State Aid Here

Fourteen veterans attending Hartnell College are receiving state educational assistance during the fall term. There is a total of 3,294 World War II veterans receiving this state aid throughout California at approximately 200 institutions.

The total state figure represents an increase of 555 over the number enrolled last fall.

Los Angeles City College had the largest number of veterans under this plan for the junior colleges.

Panthers End Second In NCJCC A League

Hartnell Panthers ended the most successful season in the history of Hartnell College by swamping over the Monterey Peninsula Lobos Thanksgiving Day, 59-7. Coach Bob Robnett was this week trying to schedule a postseason game but four teams turned him down. Fullerton, Chaffey, Santa

Ana and San Diego junior colleges were asked to play Hartnell but all said "no," so the football players will turn in their suits.

The Panthers came through the season winning eight games and losing only one conference game and one nonconference game. The conference game was lost to City College of San Francisco by a score of 20 to 7. This loss put Hartnell second in the N.C.J.C.C. "A" League.

Robnett's eleven was quarter-backed through this successful season by flashy Ed Brown. Brown, during the season, tossed 22 passes for 22 touchdowns and also ran five touchdowns over.

Hartnell scored a total of 293 points this season, more than double the points scored against them which was 137 points. They were held to one touchdown only in the game with San Francisco.

Christmas Songs To Be Presented By Music Dept.

On Thursday, December 16, the music department, under the supervision of Mr. Lorell McCann and Miss Vivian Stewart will present a musical program for the student body.

The orchestra will play selections from the "Messiah," and the college choir will sing "Night Before Christmas." Christmas carols will be sung by the Men's Glee Club. The ensemble will perform a "Christmas Carol Fantasie."

Under the direction of Mr. Harold Ulrici, the Hartnell Players will present the story made famous by Lionel Barrymore, "A Christmas Carol," by Charles Dickens.

This traditional Christmas play will be given from December 13 to 17, with a special matinee performance for the student body on Friday afternoon, December 17. The play will be free. Reserved seats can be obtained in the main office, or at Gadsby's Music Company in Salinas.

The cast will feature: Scrooge, James Clark; Marley, Richard Cimino; Crachit, Don Feliz; First Spirit, Marguerite Sander; Second Spirit, Jackie Day; Third Spirit, Donna Musler; Nephew Fred, Gardiner Pond; and Madonna, Coleen Dolan.

Young Man, Bill Holm; Young Woman, Carmen Costa; Tiny Tim, Ronnie Ulrici; Boy, Craig Ulrici;

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'Gaboon' Disappears At Menlo Game

By STEVE GAMBLE

The struggle for the Gaboon is over with a win of 27 to 18 for Hartnell over Menlo, but sad to say there was no trophy to award the victors at the game's end. During pregame activities the gaboon was in full sight of everyone. At the game's final gun it was nowhere to be found.

The mighty Gaboon dated back in history to 1947 when it was first presented by Salinas J.C. as

the official trophy in the "Big Game" contest between Menlo and Salinas. Menlo won a 20 to 0 contest in '47 and became the guardian of the trophy for a year. Hartnell inherited from Salinas J.C. the right to do battle over this highly treasured piece of brass when Salinas J.C. changed its name last July 1. Students at Hartnell made a successful raid on Menlo early this month and acquired with little better than plain burglary

Band Rolls On

Thanksgiving Day saw the last marching of the Hartnell College band for the year 1948. Quite a few members were present along with the three high-stepping majorettes, Vivian McDonald, Ramona Kilfoyl, and Louisa Francioli, to participate in the pregame and half-time activities.

Two weeks ago today, the band traveled on its last out-of-town game in Menlo. The trip was made by Greyhound with the student body paying expenses and receiving an outstanding display of formation marching at the game. Even Menlo rooters, who boast no band whatsoever, and team members, gave praises to our compact band.

Director Lorell McCann started out with a very small number of musicians and worked it into a good playing outfit this year. Next year he hopes to start out with at least 30 musicians and work up to a 40 or 50-piece organization.

WEE GEE

By ANNABELLE

Hey, Hey! Take it away. Do we hear right by the Menlo-San Mateo score. Menlo skinned by S.M., 7-6. Then there is the Rose Bowl game and the conferences which take place in Allen's Alley or the cafeteria. Think of all those loyal Californians who lay odds on Northwestern with an 18-point lead. East-West game—even, I'ma no gonna say.

Overheard here and there. Radio announcer: "Tune in tomorrow night—same time, same station, same depressing news." Football coach giving team a pregame pep talk: "Well, here we are unbeaten, untied and unscored upon—and getting ready for our first game."

Everyone is running around like chickens with their heads lopped off. Wonder who is going to play who at what time when and where. Boss people ought to make up their minds before letting the cat out of the bag.

All you happy people take note. Only 21 days till Christmas. Did you remember Uncle Zeke this year?

The best in literary circles lies within these portals. No less than a well-worn Donald Duck comic book has been seen in the faculty reading room in the company of (now you just guess).

Truth of the matter. It is when the holiday is over that we begin to feel it.

On defense of the editor—quite a few verbal comments were received on the editorial in the last issue of Panther Sentinel. Persons said that the editor was wrong, but many football players had the same sentiments as the editor. Something was wrong with the rooting section on Armistice Day—mainly bad sportsmanship. If you have gripes, comments, or anything to say, send a letter to the editor and voice your problems. One has been received and is in this issue. At the last two games there was an improvement in the sportsmanship, but don't think you are making any improvements by grumbling privately. Though there was a small rooting section at Menlo no comments can be made on any lack of "spirits."

It happens to the best of people. None other than Harry Lee caught the bride's bouquet at the recent wedding of Shirley Busch and Frank Oliver.

Where is the Gaboon? Will it be back on the campus before the Menlo game in '49?

Come one, come all to the Frosh hop tomorrow evening following the basketball game in the men's gym. Just to remind you.



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**Letter To
The Editor**

November 29, 1948

Dear Editor:

Question has arisen among many outraged students, still hoarse from the San Francisco game, over your "comments" in last week's editorial in The Sentinel.

When the yell leaders were out to lead a yell they had as much, if not more, support than could be expected from a divided group such as one infiltrated by alumni.

"A spiritless bunch of jabbering rooters" is hardly the name for a student body that backed their team from the edges of their seats until the final gun sounded.

If the section in which you sat refused to respond to your undying efforts at spirit, and insisted on "making spectacles of themselves" we are sorry and hope that next time you will find a more favorable seat.

Yours sincerely,
STEVE GAMBLE

**Med Students Enroll
At U.C. Now**

Medical students wishing to enroll in the medical school at the University of California for the fall semester of 1949 must apply for admission before December 31, 1948, according to a bulletin received by Mr. Henry Cassady, dean of lower division.

Nursing students must enroll for the fall semester before March 1, 1949; forestry students before March 15, 1949; and dentistry, optometry, and pharmacy students before May 1, 1949.

CAST . . .

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Second Boy, Ronnie White; Dick Rohrbacher and Joyce Johnson will be present in various scenes.

Don Lo Presti is stage manager; Coleen Dolan, prompter; Joyce Johnson and Marguerite Sander, wardrobe mistresses; Charles Moresi, program cover; and Bob Kensinger, scene design. Christmas music will be played by the music department.



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Mills Entrance Officer Visits Hartnell Deans

Miss Betty Zimmerman, assistant to the office of admissions at Mills College visited here recently and checked with the deans to see if any girls were interested in entering Mills. Any girls who are interested should contact Miss June Handley.

College board exams which are necessary for admission to Mills will be given January 15 and April 9, 1949, at Salinas high school. Applications for college board should be made well in advance.

Towt-Mornard To Be Married

Miss Joy Towt of Salinas recently announced her engagement to Mr. Charles Mornard of Pacific Grove. Both principals are sophomores at Hartnell this year. A summer wedding is being planned.

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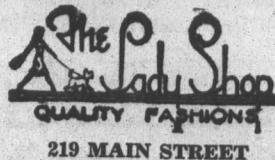
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Introducing Susie Hartnell

Miss Susan Hartnell, weight 7½ pounds, arrived by special delivery at Hartnell Monday, November 22, at 9:30 a.m. Susie is the pride and joy of the child care and development class, who will try to raise her to be a model child.

Susie is a cute blonde with blue eyes, a peaches-and-cream complexion and a very friendly personality. She even smiles at girls who carry her by her hair, try to drown her, and drop her on her head.

In an exclusive interview, when asked how she liked Hartnell, she cooed happily. If you want to check up on her personally, drop in at room 35 any time from 9-11 a.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Oh, by the way, Susie is a baby doll.

Jr. Soroptimists Hear Talk on Social Service

Mrs. Marguerite Hawkins, executive secretary of Salinas Valley Chapter of the American Red Cross, spoke to the members of the Junior Club of Salinas Soroptimists on "Careers in Social Service" last Wednesday at 12:15 in the home economics living room.

Clara Bomar To Head Colhecons

Clara Bomar was elected Colhecon Club president at the last meeting. Officers elected to serve with her are Camille Johnson, vice-president, and Virginia Lewis as secretary.

Plans were made for a Christmas tea and installation of officers to be held December 15, in the home economics living room. It was also decided to give a Christmas party December 16 for children at the Alisal Child Care Center. The club will furnish refreshments and gifts and will also decorate a Christmas tree for them.

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Kensinger Exhibit In H.C. Art Gallery

During the week of December 13-17 the exhibit in the art gallery will be the paintings of Bob Kensinger. Bob is one of the most outstanding art students at Hartnell, according to Mr. Leon Amyx, art instructor at the college.

Bob has done work in both water color and oils. Some of his paintings have been done in the town of Columbia and are exceptionally good. Others of his exceptional work was done at Moss Landing and Castroville.

His exhibit will be the first of a series of student exhibits to be shown this year in the art gallery.

Eastman-Scurich Troth Announced

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Scurich of Watsonville, have announced the betrothal of their daughter, June, to John Eastman of Watsonville. The bride-to-be attended Moreland Notre Dame Academy and was graduated from Watsonville high school. She is presently attending San Jose State College.

John Eastman, former president of the Hartnell student body, graduated from Hartnell with the latest graduating class. He saw service with the army air force in the European theater during the war, and is now associated with his mother in business in Watsonville. A summer wedding is planned.

Mary Marinovich Wins Gregg Prize

The Gregg Company presented an advanced stenography student, Mary Marinovich of Watsonville, with a gold pin. This signifies that Miss Marinovich successfully passed the 120-word, five-minute dictation, which was of difficult Congressional material.

Miss Inez Pezzini of Castroville was recently awarded the Gregg Company's 80-word certificate for successfully passing the Gregg five-minute dictation for that amount of words, transcribed with 98 per cent accuracy, or better.

Monthly Tests

Once each month the dictation tests are given at different levels of speed and transcriptions with 98 to 100 per cent accuracy are forwarded to the Gregg Company in New York City. The instructor in the advanced secretarial courses, Mrs. Ann Harper, expresses the hope that before the year closes one of the Hartnell students will earn the 200-word per minute diamond-set gold pin. Few stenographers in the country have earned this award to date.

The Westminster Club will have a meeting on Wednesday, December 8, at 12:15 in the home economics room. The Rev. Douglas Ewan will give a talk on "Marriage."



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With students and faculty members who know cars best it's Ford by a landslide once again. This was determined when a survey was conducted recently at the Hartnell parking lot, and of all the automobiles that are parked in front of the school.

Chevrolet, which is supposed to be the leading make, is running a very close second in this race. Buick, a capitalist's car, is running a good third place. Pontiac, Plymouth, Dodge, and Oldsmobile are all about tied up in fourth place.

Others follow in this order: Studebaker, Model "A" Ford, Packard, Chrysler, Hudson, DeSoto, and also a Willys Overland. The Willys, naturally, is owned by our engineering teacher, Mr. William Bullis.

Most sat-in car in the parking lot belongs to Pete Marinovich of Watsonville. Next to him comes Carmen Costa of Aptos. It's a miracle that these two cars are still in the parking lot.

Everyone should take notice of Mr. B. L. Borough's "hot rod" sitting at the extreme end of the street in front of the school. Also, notice the new black paint job it has.

Most talked-about car is probably Mr. Henry W. Cassady's new 1949 Ford. It must be good to be rich and to own a new car — even though a teacher.

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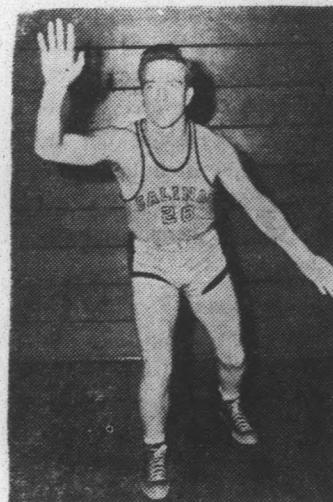
In carrying on where the mighty Hartnell football team left off, the Panther basketballers take to the court tonight to battle the strong alumni squad at 8 p.m. in the men's gym.

The Panthers opened their season last week by downing a stubborn Santa Cruz Hotel five, 49-41. Led by Cliff Cracknell, Bob Vessey, and Bill Whisler, the Panthers built up an early lead and were never headed thereafter. The team showed signs of being a tough opponent for any team that they might meet during the season.

Cracknell, Whisler, and John Ottone are the only returning veterans from last year's squad, but Vessey, along with Ted Reid, is up from the JV aggregation to bolster the team. Wally Wong, all-C.C.A.L. guard, from Watsonville; Howard Manees, another all-C.C.A.L. guard from Salinas; Ed Macha, Gene Freirmuth, and Jim Cordial round out the team that will represent Hartnell on the hardwoods this season.

The alumni team tonight will be managed by Ray Marnach, a member of last year's team, but will be captained by Russ Bohlke, who is in the hospital with a broken neck sustained while he was playing football for the Golden Bears of California.

The alumni team will feature Irving Parker and Abel Rodriguez, all-state players of previous years with Salinas Junior College. Playing along with these two will be Jerry Hoagland, Dan



RUSS BOHLKE

Vidovich, Jim Blinkenberg, and Ray Marnach from last year and Bud Pierson, Buster House, Finis Jeffers, Bill Cavalli, Dick Wallace, Jim Emerson, Sid Gadsby, John Eastman, and Charles Lee which will form a very respectable squad to try and topple the Panthers.

The starting line-up for the Panthers will have Ed Macha and Bob Vessey at forwards, Bill Whisler at center, and Cliff Cracknell and Wally Wong at guards.

1948-9 Basketball Schedule Revised

Date—Opponent	Place
Dec. 3—Hartnell Alumni Assn.	Salinas
Dec. 4—Golden Gate College	Salinas
Dec. 7—U. of C. "Cal Blues"	Berkeley
Dec. 10—Mont. Pen. College	Salinas
Dec. 11—Mont. Pen. College	Monterey
Dec. 15—Hollister J.C.	Salinas
Dec. 17—San Jose St. Frosh	Salinas
Dec. 18—Cal. Poly. Frosh, S. Luis Obispo	Salinas
Jan. 6-7-8—N.C.J.C.C. Tourney, Modesto	Modesto
Jan. 14—San Francisco C.C.	Salinas
Jan. 15—S. Jose State Frosh, San Jose	Modesto
Jan. 21—Modesto J.C.	Stockton
Jan. 22—Stockton J.C.	Stockton
Jan. 28—Menlo J.C.	Salinas
Jan. 29—San Mateo J.C.	Salinas
Feb. 4—Modesto J.C.	Salinas
Feb. 5—Stockton J.C.	Salinas
Feb. 11—S. Francisco C.C., San Francisco	Menlo
Feb. 12—Stanford U. 'B' Team, Stanford	Menlo
Feb. 18—Menlo J.C.	Menlo
Feb. 19—San Mateo J.C.	San Mateo
Feb. 23—Mont. Pen. College, Monterey	Salinas
Feb. 25—Mont. Pen. College	Salinas

SF Beats Modesto; Are Champions

San Francisco City College destroyed all hopes for the Panthers to gain a tie in the conference standings when they edged out Modesto, 25-19, last Saturday night. The Rams won ten while losing none to end the schedule in a blaze of glory and walk off with the conference championship.

Throughout the season, the Rams scored 242 points and allowed only 46 to be scored by opponents to complete the best season the City College has ever known.

Menlo, defeated only by Hartnell, climaxed a successful season when they squeezed by their traditional foes from San Mateo, 7-6. The defeat by Hartnell was the first defeat in conference play that the Menlo Oaks have suffered since 1942. The Oaks, even with the loss, still took the "B" division championship hands down.

Panthers Score Nine Times; Rack Lobos 59-7

Hartnell Panthers ran up nine touchdowns to one last Thursday when they routed the Monterey Peninsula College Lobos, 59-7. The Panthers scored three times in the first quarter, twice in the second, once in the third and three in the last to make their largest score of the season.

Coach Bob Robinett used every man on the squad, and started running in the reserves after the first period, but even this did not halt the drive of the Panthers. Monterey was outclassed from the start and everyone knew it, but this didn't stop the Lobos any. They played a very trying game.

It wasn't until the middle of the third quarter that the Lobos found themselves in Hartnell territory, when they recovered a fumble on the Panther 39. Lukie Phillips found a hole and plunged 14 yards to the 25, but on the next play, Mirabelli fumbled and Hartnell's Stan Miller fell on the ball to recover.

The only fisticuffs exhibited during the afternoon was when Bill Whited, Hartnell end, and the Lobos' Don Prince were ejected from the game for fighting.

It took the highly favored Panthers only four minutes to chalk up the first score of the afternoon. Bill Whited kicked off and after picking up three yards in as many attempts, Monterey kicked to the 10, where Ed Brown



LOREN GREEN

went into the end zone on an end run.

With 10 seconds remaining in the first quarter, Ed Dysle blocked Cunningham's fourth-down punt, Joe Antonetti falling on the ball on the Monterey 9. Brown whipped a pass to Ev Skrine for their third TD and Cordial again converted, bringing the score to 21-0.

Every member of the squad shared the honors. Francis Silacci, manager, played a considerable time during the game.

Lobos' lone score came in the final 35 seconds when Lukie Phillips took the kick-off on the 13 and ran through the Hartnell reserves team to score. He then converted, making the score 59-7.

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